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Siman pasa e director interino hunto cu e di fundacion MOBIS a pasa sera e minister president di Aruba mr. M. Eman. E meta di e encuentro aki tawata pa duna Gobierno un chens pa sera conoci cu personanen tras di e fundacion nobo aki cu tin como meta principal: "Stimula promocion di bienestar riba area di bida importante pa e habitantenan, cu enfoke riba sostenebilidad" pero tambe intercambia ideanan riba e area di trabou pa bienestar social den comunidad. Mobis y gobierno a reconoce otro manera strategical partner.

MOBIS ta para pa Mobilizacion pa Bienestar

Sostenibel y lo focus riba deseongan material y immaterial den e vecindarianon, manera reinforsacion di e structuraran y projectan den vecindarianon na unda e habitantenan por organiza y unian mes pa logra metanan comun. Cu esaki MOBIS ta purba di duna su aporte na vecindarianon na unda muchanan, hoben, adulto y grandinan por recrea na un manera sano y sigur sin crea tencion den e vecindario sera e otro habitantenan. Vecindarianon na unda grandi y chiquito por topa otro y na unda necesidadnan di e vecindarianon a base di action based research



lo wordo signalia na ora. Vecindarianon lo haya oido y plannes a termino largo pa purba logra e metanan di e mesun vecindario na unda e habitantenan lo wordo stimula y activa pa

duna aporte na nan mesun destino. Mobis lo facilita y stimula initiativa di e habitantenan y trabou boluntario. Mobis ta un guia pa e habitantenan y lo funciona manera un mediador y

connector entre habitantenan mes, organizacionan y gobierno.

MOBIS ta un initiativa cu a sali for di CEDE Aruba y nan a aserca FCCA pa conhunto lanta e fundacion .



## Valero ta culpa nos di perdida Miyonario

Valero Corporation cu su sede na San Antonio, Texas, awor kier bin tilda nos cu nan a perde 605 miyon dollar den nan prome cuartal di 2012. Ta parse cu Valero ta come y lubida cu tanto miyones e pueblo aki a regalanan di e miyones di e BBO cu governo actual a exoneranan.

Valero ta crea e impresion di martir y ta tira su sarna riba nos comunidad. Tempo cu nos refineria a produci miyones y cu e aña aki mes Bill Klessy por a cobra su miyones debi cu ela ser recompensa pa a dirihi e compania den un bon direcccion y a gana

placa, awor ta resulta cu diripente e refineria di Aruba no ta bal nada y cu debi na nos refineria cos ta bayendo malo.

Bill Klessy mester tin corahe pa bin bisa nos cu nos tin culpa cu cos ta malo den inicia di e prome cuartal di 2012 aki.

Unda tur e promesa di Bill Klessy a keda cu lo inverti den e sistema di Koker y otro nan a keda? Unda e "Good Corporate Citizenship" a keda pa nos comunidad? Corda cu e Fortune List cu 16 refineria rond mundo y ta emplea mas di 22.000 hende den nan servico, pero unda e parti di etica ta keda pa cu

ta nan ta aporta mayoria di e placa y dedicacion di nan ora nan liber, waak e potretinan cu ta Sali den nos medionan di comunicacion y ta nos localnan so bo ta mira ta briya. OJO!

Na momento cu nos redaccion a ricibi e comunicado di prensa aki, ela crea un desapunto y rabia di mira con nos mes ta culpabel di cu Multinacionalnan ta bin cada biaha y coi nos mandatarionan specialmente cabes abao den tur sentido di e palabra.

Na mes momento Valero ta gaba cu nan ta riba e Fortune List cu 16 refineria rond mundo y ta emplea mas di 22.000 hende den nan servico, pero unda e parti di etica ta keda pa cu

ora cos ta bon aki, Aruba ta bon y ora cos pega ta Aruba ta culpa.

Corda cu ta nos governo a move tur caminda pa wak si ta tene e refineria di Valero, y cu ta un multinacional priva den operacion. Esaki ta trabao di Bill Klessy pa mula y produci, pero no ta hasi ese y ta sinta laga Gobinete Eman gasta placa di pueblo pa busca comprador y nan kier disfruta di e esfuersonan di nos politico y mandatarionan cu te cu cierto punto pa laga nan ser utilisa, pa despues tra nan un banda.

Laga Valero ta e ultimo multinacional cu lo maslusa nos gobernantean y laga es politico nan cu ta

bini den futro siña di e lesnan amargo aki y ban para manera hombernan firme, manera nos idiannan a para pa e pida baranca aki y saca mihor probecho.

Valero Corporation y Bill Klessy ta kere di por tira culpa riba nos bida barabca, insulta nos inteligencia y Sali bai sin paga nada?

Laga nos lanta para y por lo menos exigi respect di e hendenan aki cu no tin escrupo, sino mas bien kier saca probecho so, pasobra nos ta un isla chikito. Ban stop di pone e hende nan aki riba pedestal.

Laga nos usa nos lema bernaculo cu ta bisa; "Cani Mi pa Mi Cani Bo"

# EPI ta produci profesionalnan pa Hotel



Den un combersacion cu Andres Geerman, kende ta gerente encarga cu enseñansa di E.P.I. a informa nos redacion den un entrevista cu nan scol ta produci basta profesional pa sector hotelero.

Entre 80 pa 100 studente ta gradua na e scol aki y ta drenta den e mundo hotelero, sea aki of den exterior.

" Na decembre, 2011, 20 profesional a termina y gradua na nos scol y por bisa cu mayoria ta den servicio di nos hotelnan riba nos isla y cu e reacion cu nos ta haya cu e gerentenan di dicho hotelnan ta hopi satisfecho cu e producion y disciplina di nos

studentenan cu termina aki sera nos y eseis ta hasi nos orguyoso y determina pa sigui produci mas hobennan bon prepara den varios ramo den hoteleria," asina Andres Geerman a duna di conoce.

Andres Geerman, kende na momento cu e cuminsa papia di e scol y studentenan ta duna e imprision di ta orguyoso di su alumninan y nan producion y ta kere cu e scol ta riba un bon caminda pa loke ta trata e relacion entre nan di EPI y gerentenan di hotel aki na Aruba.

" Den pasado nos a manda studentenan pa sigui curso y intercambio

y competencia y a logra gana premio nan internacional. Esaki ta duna nos e satisfacion di mira nos fruto di trabao y naturalmente nos isla ta haya un bon promocion den exterior," na palabra Andres Geerman.

Mas impresionante ta e hecho cu ora a puntra Andres Geerman con nosudiante femenino nan ta bayendo, ela hari y a bisa:"Mitar di esnan cu ta caba aki cu bachelors degree ta mucha muhernan cu averahe hopi halto mes, claa pa drenta e mercadi laboral local."

Aki nos ta haya un bista chikito di kiko nos mes hen-de nan local ta produci cu hopi trabao y esfuerzo pa

duna calidad y den e caso aki un sector cu ta concentra den e sector di nos industria turistico, ta muestra di ta claa pa cualquier retinan cu por presenta y cu nos hendenan ta competitivo na tur momento.

Atrobe aki nos ta mira e fruto di loke tabata e proyecto di Bushiri Hotel den decade 80 y awe nos ta mira e continuidad di esaki den entre otro EPI, sector Horeca.

Nos ta mira un desaroyo den un desaroyo pa cu e desaroyo di nos mundo turistico hotelero.

Nos mester ta orguyoso por ehempel cu e prome chef di cushiona na Aruba ta Chef Kelly cu tur hende conoce como tal y cu a dedica di tempo di Bushiri Hotel te cu algun aña atras activamente den e mundo di cushiona aki y cu tambe a produci bon chef y asistente di chef nan aki mes.

Pues Aruba por ta orguyoso di mira con nos ta bon prepara den e mundo di e sector hotelero, cu ta competitivo na unda cu benta nos yiunan di tera pa trata y eseis ta yena nos tur cu orguyo.

# 5 Beach Lo Haya cara nobo

Ministro Otmar Oduber durante un conferencia di prensa awe mainta na sala di Conseho di Ministro a trece dilanti cu cinco beach rond di Aruba, entre nan e beach pabao di waya di aeropuerto y cu ta keda pariba di ex-Surfside, cua ta conoci como Nikki Beach lo bai haya un facelift, mescos ta e caso di e beach panort di Arashi, cu tambe lo haya un facelift.

Di e forma aki ta bai embeyece e beachnan aki cu ta beachnan publico.

Un par di miyon florin lo ser inverti den e embeyecimento aki na e cinco beachnan rond di Aruba.

E pregunta ta keda awor si e beachnan dilanti di e hotelnan grandi lo ta pertenece anto na e hotelnan of na pais Aruba. Mester bisa cu semper nan a ser considera beachnan publico, apesar cu constantemente e guardianan di e hotelnan ta core localnan na momento cu nan bai dilanti di e hotelnan aki pa disfruta di e beach y e laman. Hasta ta asina cu e hotelnan aki a pone palapa nan riba tereno cu no ta di nan, pero tereno di gobierno.

E embeyecimento di e cinco beach nan aki, sigur lo duna un facelift na e cara nobo di e beachnan aki, cu na su turno lo ta yuda nos crecimiento di e producto di turismo.



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pa 2014 y 2015.

Na apertura di e reunion aki lo dirigi palabra di bon bini, Ministro Arthur Dowers, Ministro di Justicia y Educacion.

Despues e bishitante nan lo haya oportunidad pa bishita Parke Arikok, Museo Archeologico, e fa-

moso Caribbean Festival na San Nicolas y e festival di literatura, "Crsa Lama".

Tur organizacionnan na nos isla cu ta desea na bini na remarca pa nan proyecto por hasi un peticion na oficina di Unesco Aruba.

Manera ta conoci, Unesco tin su sede na Paris Francia.

## Bushiri Hotel ta pertenece na pasado

Nos por corda ainda den decada 80 con Aruba tabata orguyoso cu su Hotelvak school, Bushiri Hotel, na unda for di tur parti di Caribe, Sur y Centro America y hasta Hulanda y Merca studiantenan tabata atende e school aki cu tabata gosa di alto prestigio den su tempo di gloria.

Un Bushiri Hotel cu su meta bon fiha, na unda e preparacion di hopi local y stranhero, a pasa aki pa despues bira hendenan bon prepa den e mundo di hoteleria.

Nos por corda ainda e prome director tabata un Israeli, Lavon cu a setup e school aki y despues a sigui cu Ellis Dania y Tony Green como e ultimo encarga cu e school aki. Nos por corda Arubiano nan bon prepara cu a run e lugar aki, manera Tirso Kolvin, Carlos Wolter y otro nan mas cu tabata orguyo di nos proyecto Bushiri den su mihor

tempo y awe tin di nan cu a fayece y otro nan cu te awe ta sin trabao y otro nan cu a cambia ruta di nan profesion, pero tur cu awe tey aienda ta añora e epoca di Bushiri su gloria, na unda nos yiunan di tera a demostra cu nos por run hotel y schoolnan di e tamaño di Bushiri Hotel..

Nos por bisa cu Bushiri tabata un soño di Betico Croes pa hasi e lugar aki un centro internacional pa studiantenan rond mundo y en parti esaki a keda logra tambe.

Despues, politikeria a introduci su mes, na unda poco poco, pero seguir a cuminsa caba cu e hotel aki, na unda happy hour tabata un aglomeracion di masha hopi hen-de mes tur fin di siman.

Un dia e pueblo a lanta y a haya Bushiri den un limbo pisa y cu awe ta un ruina mahos pa basta aña



nan caba, tur politico cu a pone man riba e lugar aki a destrui esaki totalmente.

Awe nos ta bisa ayo na un joya di un proyecto cu den su tempo a brinda realce na nos isla y tabata famoso. Awe, sinembargo mayoria di nos cu a disfruta di dje a bira lomba pe y lage den loke e ta awe,

un ruina. Specialmente e politiconan cu a use pa otro benefician cu no ta esun cu lo por a salba nos prestigioso Bushiri.

Danki na esnan cu tabata tin e vision pa cu e proyecto aki y a kere aden, y na esnan cu a malogre y saca probecho politico cune, Que Lastima!

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# ***Andin Bikker, "tene cuenta cu consumidor"***

Durante un conferencia di prensa teni awe mainta, e parlamentario di partido democracia real, Andin Bikker atrece varios topico di sumo importancia dilanti.

Entre nan e parlamentario a splica cu WEB a crea un situacion incomodo sin consulta cu su consumidornan pa loke ta e cobransa di consumo di awa.

"Manera ta conoci, e cuenta di awa ta ser paga semper sagradamente riba 14 di luna, manera coriente,,segun Andin Bikker ta bisa y cu awor sin previo aviso ta cambia e fecha pa ocho di cada luna,sin a consulta previamente cu e pueblo consumidor di awa".

"Mester tene cuenta cu esnan cu semper a custumbra di paga riba 14 di cada luna y awor ta haya nan confronta cu mester paga riba ocho di luna, sin tabata sa y cu e consecuencianan cu bo ta keda sin meter di awa<" segun Andin Bikker.

Un otro topico cu a keda trece atrobe pa e parlamentario, ta e hecho cu su persona a ser aserca pa varios mayornan di studiante cu ta bai termina nan estudio di medicina y kier bin bek, pero cu no por haya trabao, ya cu emesun gobierno cu ta duna lening, ta exhi pa nan bai pa un año minimo Hula-

landa of Spaña pa por haya reconocemen-

to pa nan diploma, debi cu nan a studia den LatinoAmerica of Merca y aki no ta reconoce nan diploma.

Mas ainda cu awor aki esnan cu kier bai studia medicina, no por haya lening di Aruba Scholarship Foundation, ya cu nan no ta sigur di e garantia cu e studiantenan aki lo haya trabao y paga nan debo bek na nan. Ta asina aki cu tin un tratado di Mexico data 19 di febrero, 1974 cu internacionalmente ta obliga Hulanda y tambe nos pa reconoce e diplomanan aki.

"Ta exihi pa studia na Hulanda y ta duna fiansa pa bai studia den nos region,pero na mes momento no ta duna reconocemento na e diploma di esnan cu termina,pero Bikker.

si ta keda manda paciente pa Colombia y den regio",Andin Bikker a bisa.

" Ta di spera cu pronto lo bini un cambio riba e situacion fastioso aki y ta di spera cu Ministro di Salubridad Publico, Rchard Visser lo cumpli cu nos studiantenan di medicina,"Andin Bikker a termina bisando.

"Trafico na Aruba ta un chaos,tur caminda y mester bini solucion pragmatico,por ehempel na crizada di Bright Bakery na unda mester keda warda den fika largo,ora un auto ta bira pa banda robez y e trafico su fluho cu ta sigui bai abao mester keda stanka",segun Andin Bikker.



## **Fundacion ProHusticia na marcha**

Andin Bikker a trece dilanti e hecho cu desde 2007 nan a funda Fundacion Pro Husticia cu ta sali na vanguardia di esnan di menos recurso y ta traha riba loke ta ser yama test case nan na unda e fundacion aki ta juda monetariamente un parti pa trece e caso nan aki dilanti den corte, manera ta awor aki e caso di "spear fishing".

" E ley aki a keda aboli na 2005,

pero te ainda ministerio publico ta keda duna multa riba un ley cu no ta vigente mas y pesei mes lo bai tin un caso den corte riba 3 di mei na unda lo bai trata e caso aki specificamente,"segun Andin Bikker.

E caso aki lo ta den corte pa 8:00 a.m. na unda esaki lo bira un test case den corte,di cual e fundacion aki tambe ta apoya.



# Kaso di ladronisia ku violensia i morto

WILLEMSTAD - Ayera alrededor di 20.45'or, Sentral di Polis a dirigí un patruya na un kas na Barber, relashoná ku un kaso di ladronisia ku violensia ku a tuma lugá. Na yegada di e patruya na e sitio, nan a bin topa ku un hòmber drumi pafó dilanti di un porta di e kas ku herida di bala na e parti ariba di su kurpa i ku no tabata duna señal di bida.

For di un investigashon preliminar ku polis a realisá na e sitio a resultá ku dos hòmber ku arma di kandela a drenta den e kas. Nan a sorprendé un habitante di e kas, un hòmber di 82 aña di edat, nan a kue tene i a tapa su boka. E habitante di e kas a resistí i kuminsá grita. Su yu hòmber a tende e gritunan i a sali pa yuda su tata. Na e momentu ei e sospechosan a los tiru dirigí riba e yu, e víktima, Alcides Pedro Weert, nasé na Kòrsou, 29 aprel 1963, ku e konsekuensiencia ariba menshoná. Despues di nan akto e sospechosan a bai for di e sitio den un vehíkulo koló skur. Alrededor di 22.30'or dòkter di polis a konstatá morto. Riba òrdú di Fiskal di Ministerio Pùblico a konfiská e kurpa sin bida di e víktima pa mas investigashon. Na e sitio polis a konfiská algu artíkulo ku ta di importansia pa e investigashon.

Atrako Tim ta kontinuá ku e investigashon aki.



## Fundashon Nos Grandinan ta kuida nan hendenan debidamente

WILLEMSTAD. Riba petishon di varios kasnan di ansiano i tambe gruponan di hende grandi, Fundashon Nos Grandinan lo busca un fecha nobo, unu definitivo, pa su grandioso fundraising bingo ku tabata planiá pa tuma lugá djadumingu awor.

Esaki ta enkonekshon ku aktividatnan ku tin planiá kaba pa loke ta trata e parti rekreativo pa nos grandinan ku ta hospedá den kasnan di ansiano i otronan ku ta miembranon di un grupo di hende grandi.

Djadumingu awor, kasnan di ansiano i tambe varios gruponan di hende grandi tin un trep pendiente pa bai disfrutá di e marcha di seu na Bandabou.

Mirando ku Fundashon Nos Grandinan ta traha pa tur hende grandi di Kòrsou, a tene kuenta debidamente ku e petishon ku a drenta di parti di e grandinan aki ku a haña nan karton di bingo kaba.

Fundashon Nos Grandinan ta kere fírmemente ku nos grandinan ku ta hospedá den kasnan di ansiano i tambe otro grandinan ku meresé disfrutá di nan trep pendiente pa Bandabou, pero nan komo nos grandinan tambe meresé pa porfin drenta un hotel despues di basta tempu i partisipá aktivamente den un bingo real.

Fundashon Nos Grandinan lo sinta otro siman ku managernan

di Bingo Hall di Hilton Casino pa skohe un bon fecha ku lo ta muy pronto di moda ku tur hende sa adelantá esaki, pa di e manera aki e evento por tuma lugá sin ku nada otro por kondusí na stroba e evento aki di tuma lugá.

Pa mas informashon por tuma contacto ku Presidente di Fundashon Nos Grandinan, sra. Geselle Rosaria – Coffi, na 510-9080 óf ku sra. Cherryle Servage na 560-0213.



# Ploeg 5 ku inval na Oasis Supermarket

Ayera team ploeg 5 forma pa polisnan di Otrobanda a bai tira un inval den supermarket ku ta keda den Jandoret i a kanta bingo atrobe ora a bin topa varios chines ilegal i ku no tin permit pa drei e supermerkado aki. Mes ora a disidi na sea Oasis supermarket.

Remarkabel tabata ora ku a drenta panaderia i diripiente lusnan a paga, ora ku a pidi chines pa sende nan bek, no por hanja e konekshon di koriente nuin kamina, pero henter e sentral aqualectra ta den e panadera mes.

A atende serio ku chines nan aki, i a hibanan warda enespera di e donjo di e luga ku a bai mas lat pa atende ku polis na warda di polis.



## Parlementarionan di AVP a tene conferencia

Fraccion di AVP den parlamento a tene un conferencia di prensa den nan oficina na parlamento,na unda varios topico a ser treci dilanti.

Melvin Tromp, a inicia cu e cuestion di e expresionnan di parti di lider di partido opositor, Evelyn Wever-Croes,kende ta tin critica riba Valero y e circumstancianan rond di esaki. Melvin Tromp a bisa cu e expresionnan di e lider di MEP no ta cuadra cu berdad,debi cu eno a papia e berdad.

"Mi tin cos mas importante pa hasi enbes di ta aki den" na palabra lider di MEP, Evelyn Wever-Croes. Cu e quote aki, Melvin Tromp, parlamentario di AVP a bisa den e conferencia di prensa,

indicando con por tuma oposicion na serio pa cu e topico di nos refinaria.

Melvin Tromp tambe a trece dilanti cu eta lamenta cu parlamentario di MEP, Arondino Croes ta critica referiente e situacion di e refineria, pero no ta duna aporte y eseui debi cu eno tabata na inicio di e parlamento nobo aki y por ta eno a sigui esaki,tampoco, segun Melvin Tromp a trece dilanti den e conferencia.

"Ta asina aki cu ta mi colega den parlamento, Juan David Irausquin a yama e ministro di finansa, Mike de Meza pa bin duna informacion rond di e situacion di Valero den parlamento y MEP su hendenan a

ser instrui ta bai contra,segun Melvin Tromp,door di nan lider Evelyn Wever-Croes ya cu e mes no a asisti na dicho reunion,

"Diahuebs santo, nos a trata e

cuestion di Valero den parlamento y aki oposicion a briya cu nan ausencia, por ta nan a bai campa debi na semana santa," Melvin Tromp a reitera.





# Sluggers campeon di Copa Mike Eman

Diadomingo den oranan di atardi a finalisa despues di algun siman di competencia softbolistico otro edicion di Copa Mike Eman.

Den e wega final Sluggers a gana e ekipo di Bestuurskantoor pa bay cu e titulo.

"Mi ta hopi orguyoso cu un torneo a wordo dedica na mi nomber, y cu awor a finalisa despues di varios siman di competencia hopi anima," Prome Mandatario di Aruba, mr. Mike Eman, a bisa durante e ceremonia di entrega di premio.

E tipo di torneonan aki, Prome Minister Eman a bisa, ta duna re-enfuerzo na loke Gobierno ta considera masha importante. Y a splica cu Gobierno ta trahando hopi duro den e barionan pa mehora calidad di bida di e ciudadanonan, pero tambe pa re-enforsa atrobe e lasonan entre e ciudadanonan.

E enfoke cu tin riba tereno di bala, ta hustamente loke cu Gobierno kier logra. Tin centro di ciudad y tin barionan, pero importante tambe ta cu tin becindario.

Gobierno aki a cuminsa dedica atencion na becindarionan, manera a sosode na Jan Flemming, Calbas, Cura Cabay, Montserrat, Bushiri, etc.

Hopi bes ta lubida cu e becindarionan tambe mester di atencion. Cada un tin nan orguyo y identidad, y merece di haya nan atencion. Principalmente pasobra ta den e becindarionan e comunitadnan ta bini hundo.



# CPB Ling & Sons Campeon Liga Superior

*Cedric Benito "MVP" y UB Heemstadt "Top-Scorer"*



Diasabra pasa, riba cancha di Aruba Juniors, a tuma luga e di 3 wega di e serie final best out of five di e division Liga Superior di Aruba Basketball Bond entre CPB Ling & Sons y De Vuyst Impact. CPB Ling & Sons tabata ariba 2-0 den e serie y tabata favorito pa gana e titulo campeonil. De Vuyst di otro banda a bin cu e pensamento pa prolonga e serie y forsa un di 4 wega. Asina nan ta sali fuerte cu un wega riba hopi velocidad. Ruben Vrolijk tabata hot den e prome quarter y ta zorg pa 13 punto. Tabata mustra cu e weg alo wordo dicidi den e prome quarter pero De Vuyst no a probecha di e oportunidad cu nan a haya di e defensa di Ling & Sons y ta habri caminda pa UB and company trece e score na 9 punto na final di e quarter. E prome Quarter a termina 25-16 na favor di De Vuyst. Den e di dos quarter cos ta bolter formal unda CPB ta marca Reuben fuerte y ta limite na 2 punto den e quarter. Consecuencia di esaki ta cu e produccion di De Vuyst a cay completo. Cedric Benito ta score 9 pa CPB den e quarter aki cu ta bira all CPB.

Nan ta cera e gap na half te na dos punto. Sosiego ta bay aden 39-37 keto bay na fabor di Impact. Head-coach di CPB Ashiko Martinus no por tabata presente y ta manda Winston Ahlip pa coach e wega. Winston ta duna e team animo chino y nan ta sali for di kleedkamer dicidi pa celebra campeon. CPB ta anota 24 y 25 punto den di 3 y 4 quarter respectivamente y ta habri e wega for di otro. Den e ultimo quarter De Vuyst ta purba bin bek pero Cedric "MVP" Benito ta step-up y ta sink 12 punto pa sigura e victoria . E score final a bira 86-71 na favor di CPB Ling & Sons. Topscore pa e ganadonan tabata Cedric Benito 24, Hubert Heemstadt 23 y Wilfrido Heemstadt 10. Pa De Vuyst Reuben Vrolijk, Clive Gario y Glennert Gibson tabatin 22, 13 y 12 punto respectivamente. Asina CPB Ling & Sons ta bira campeon di Basketball di Aruba den Liga Superior. Topscore di campeonato a sali Hubert Heemstadt cu 21 punto pa wega, mientras cu e MVP di campeonato a resulta Cedric Benito, ambos hungado di CPB Ling & Sons.



# Sport



## Clippers prepare for playoffs by dominating Thunder

LOS ANGELES -- With some help, the Los Angeles Clippers had already clinched their first playoff berth in five years before they tipped off against Oklahoma City. Then they went out and earned it.

Nick Young scored 19 points off the bench, Blake Griffin added 17 and Randy Foye 13 to beat the Thunder 92-77 on Monday night.

"It is something that we're happy about, but by no means is that all we want," said Griffin, who like a lot of his teammates will be in the postseason for the first time. "That was one of our goals coming in, but it goes farther than that."

Houston lost to Denver by three points earlier Monday night, ensuring the Clippers would end the second-longest active postseason drought in the league.

"I'm happy we can get Blake on TV in May," DeAndre Jordan said.

Griffin had 11 rebounds and Jordan grabbed 12 in the Clippers' fourth straight victory and 12th in their past 14 games. Their 38 wins are the most since the franchise had 40 in 2006-07.

"This is a great feeling," said Chris Paul, whose acquisition shortly before the lockout ended has played a key role in the Clippers' changing fortunes. "We can celebrate it, be excited about it tonight, but tomorrow we're back at work."

Kevin Durant led Oklahoma City with 24 points,

Serge Ibaka and James Harden added 12 points each and Russell Westbrook was held to nine as the Thunder's two-game winning streak ended. San Antonio beat Golden State to move percentage points ahead of the Thunder in the race for the No. 1 seed in the West.

"There's no time to panic right now," Durant said. "We have to win the next game in order to get our momentum back."

The Clippers didn't need the victory to achieve their immediate goal, but they played like they wanted it in the fourth quarter, outscoring the Thunder 26-11.

"We got good looks, but we were missing shots and they picked their intensity up," Durant said. "It was just one of those tough ones for us. I missed a few 3s, Russell missed a few elbow jump shots, which he normally makes, and Serge missed some that went in and out. That's how the game is, man."

Mo Williams hit a 3-pointer for the Clippers' first lead since they scored the game's first basket. Eric Bledsoe came in for Paul and calmly ran the offense, feeding Williams and Young, who combined for 10 of their first 14 points.

"We're one of the best second units in the league," said Young, who joined the Clippers a month ago in a trade from Washington. "I'm excited. I was waiting for one of these type of games. To get it tonight



against one of the league's top teams was great."

Griffin scored on back-to-back rim-rattling dunks that had the Clippers' 32nd sell-out crowd of the season on its feet roaring. Paul briefly came back in, but Williams and Foye made consecutive 3s to stretch their lead to 90-77, so the All-Star guard sat down again with the game in hand.

"We have enough offensive power to play with anybody, but our defense is what triggers us," Paul said. "When we defend, we're tough to guard."

Foye dribbled out the final seconds with a smile on his face, although at the buzzer the Clippers did little more than smile and hug each other.

"We know that's not the

only thing we want," Jordan said. "We still have a goal for this team, and this is just one of the steps towards it."

The Clippers won the season series, 3-1.

"They're really good, but I don't think they're a better team than us," Durant said. "It's not like we're afraid of them or that we're scared to see those guys later on.

But you have to give them credit. They beat us."

The Clippers dominated the third, outscoring the Thunder 23-14. Durant and Westbrook were shut out, while Ibaka scored 12, including nine in a row. Young scored eight straight, hitting two consecutive 3s, to draw Los Angeles within one. Durant banged into Griffin on the perimeter for

the foul. Griffin made both shots, but the second was disallowed when Jordan committed a lane violation, leaving the game tied at 66.

"We picked up the defensive intensity to start the third quarter," Paul said. "We got some steals, got out in transition, guys hit some big buckets and we were able to sustain that momentum."

The Thunder led by 11 points in the second quarter. The Clippers closed within four three times, the last time on a 10-3 run including four in a row by Griffin. But the Thunder ran off the final five points to go up 52-43 at halftime. Ibaka had three fouls in the first half when he had no rebounds and no points.

# Rays' James Shields falls 2 outs shy of shutting out Red Sox



BOSTON -- The Tampa Bay Rays needed a strong pitching performance to avoid a four-game sweep by the hot-hitting Boston Red Sox.

They got it from James Shields.

Shields allowed four hits -- all singles -- in 8 1/3 innings, and the Rays beat Boston 1-0 Monday after being outscored 31-11 by the Red Sox in the previous three games.

"It was my job to stop the bleeding," Shields said. "We had a rough three games and they were hot. They were swinging the bats pretty well."

Boston had a chance to tie it in the ninth when Shields (2-0) left after walking Dustin Pedroia.

Fernando Rodney got his fourth save in four opportunities when he retired Adrian Gonzalez on a groundout that sent Pedroia to second, walked David Ortiz intentionally, then got Cody Ross on a called third strike. Ross slammed his helmet and argued with home-plate umpire Larry Vanover that the last two pitches should have been balls.

"To me it's unacceptable," Ross said. "If I'm up there striking out every at-bat, I'm going to get benched. They are not accountable."

The only run came when Daniel Bard (0-2) walked Evan Longoria on four pitches with the bases loaded

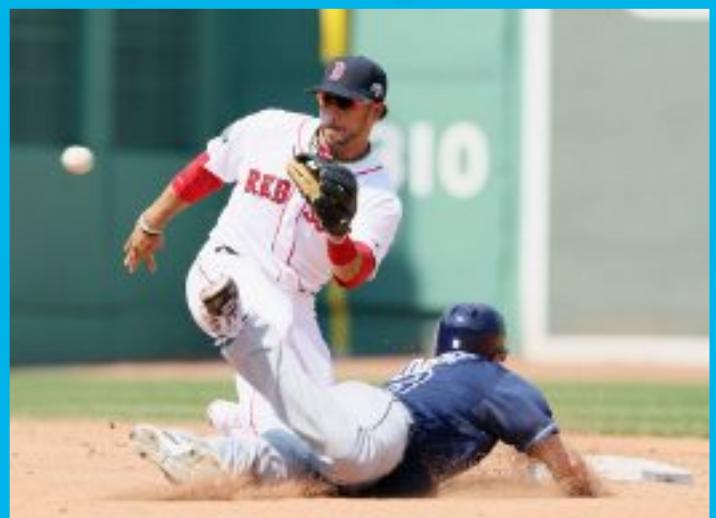
in the seventh.

The traditional Patriots' Day home game began at 11:04 a.m. The holiday observed in Massachusetts and Maine marks Paul Revere's ride and the battles of Lexington and Concord in 1775.

"We absolutely needed something like that today. James did not disappoint," Rays manager Joe Maddon said. "I really liked the bounce back (at) 11 o'clock in the morning. After losing three games in a row here, a lot of teams would give up at that point. Our

The loss was Bobby Valentine's first at Fenway Park as Boston's manager. Fans booed when he went back to the dugout after lifting Bard for Justin Thomas following the run-scoring walk. Bard also walked the previous batter, Carlos Pena, on four pitches.

"It was the wrong decision, obviously," Valentine said. "I wanted to let him know right there that I thought he



could get himself out of a jam."

The boos likely were prompted by an interview aired on WHDH-TV Sunday night in which Valentine questioned Kevin Youkilis' commitment to the game. He apologized to his third baseman, a fan favorite, on Monday. Valentine had said he didn't think Youkilis was "as physically or emotionally into the game."

500th win as a manager, all with Tampa Bay, as the Rays stopped a four-game losing streak.

"I just happen to be the steward of this group," he said. "Better baseball players make you a lot smarter manager."

Shields retired the first four batters before Ross' broken-bat single off the pitcher's glove. The next six Red Sox made outs before Gonzalez singled to left. He was erased on a double-play grounder in the fourth.

Shields walked Nick Punto with two outs in the fifth, allowed singles to Pedroia in the sixth and Ross in the seventh and walked Pedroia in the ninth.

Bard gave up three hits through six innings and set down the first two batters in the seventh. Then he lost his control.

Sean Rodriguez walked, Desmond Jennings singled and Pena walked, loading the bases. Pitching coach Bob McClure visited Bard and left him in the game. The move backfired as Bard walked Longoria with his 111th pitch. That's when Valentine went to the mound to lift Bard and was booed on the walk back.



# Justin Verlander survives shaky 9th as Tigers edge Royals

KANSAS CITY, Mo. -- Jim Leyland had already decided after the eighth inning Monday night that he was sticking with Justin Verlander in the ninth, no matter what happened against the Kansas City Royals.

So when the crusty Detroit manager ambled out to the mound, with two on and two out in a 3-2 game, his message for his ace was simple: "You're going to get me fired."

"Seriously," Verlander said after-

ward. "That's what he told me."

Leyland's heart must have really been racing when he headed back to the dugout and watched Verlander plunk Alcides Escobar to load the bases. And the relaxation must have been just as quick to come when the reigning Cy Young winner struck out Alex Gordon to preserve the victory.

"He came in after the eighth and said, 'I feel great,'" Leyland said. "I said, 'Well, it's your game. You're

either going to win it or lose it. I'm not taking you out!'"

So what was Verlander's response when Leyland had to visit the mound?

"Sorry," Verlander said.

"That's just the way he is," added Verlander, who used 131 pitches to improve to 14-2 in his career against the Royals. "He's relaxed in a situation where a lot of guys might be panicking. And he might be panicking on the inside, but he doesn't show it."

Austin Jackson hit a leadoff homer and Brandon Inge added a two-run shot in the fifth for the Tigers, giving Verlander (1-1) just enough support in a pitcher's duel against Danny Duffy.

The young left-hander kept the Tigers' potent attack at bay most of the game, allowing three runs on seven hits and a walk in 6 1/3 innings. Duffy (1-1) also struck out seven.

Detroit nearly added to Jackson's homer when Brennan Boesch singled and Miguel Cabrera worked a walk in the first inning. Prince Fielder grounded into a double play, though, and Delmon Young flied out to end the threat and keep Kansas City within striking distance.

Gordon eventually matched the run when he doubled in the bottom half of the inning, moved to third on a sacrifice bunt and scored on Billy Butler's base hit.

That was just about all the Royals could muster until the ninth inning, when Butler led off with a single. Pinch runner Jason Bourgeois eventually scored, setting up the dramatic ending.

Verlander changed speeds and took advantage of the corners to flummox the young Kansas City lineup most of the night. He retired 11 straight at one point and struck out nine overall.

Of course, his dominance was nothing new to folks in Kansas City.

The right-hander has made a mockery of the Royals in recent years, especially at Kauffman Stadium, where he improved to 9-2

and has allowed only 18 earned runs in 88 1/3 innings.

"It was a big task facing Verlander," said Royals manager Ned Yost, whose club has lost five straight. "We gave him a good game, but it's not the way we wanted it to end."

Verlander finally had something to show for his third consecutive strong start.

He allowed four runs over 8 1/3 innings in a 4-2 defeat to Tampa Bay, and received no decision despite allowing a pair of hits over eight scoreless innings against Boston -- making those 24 wins he piled up last season look all the more impressive.

"A lot of those last year came pretty easy," he said. "I told everyone my goal this season is to be a better pitcher, even if my numbers might not be as good."

Duffy did his best to make Monday night another fruitless outing.

The young left-hander, who went six scoreless innings against Oakland his first time out, used his overpowering fastball to blow through most of the Detroit lineup. Alex Avila struck out twice against Duffy, and Fielder and Cabrera also went down at the plate.

His only major mistakes were to Jackson in the first inning and Inge in the fifth.

It was all that Verlander needed.

"It was a big, see-saw battle, back and forth," Yost said. "A lot of excitement at the end."



## MLB Standing



CENTRAL	W	L	PCT	GB	HOME	ROAD
Detroit	7	3	.700	-	5-1	2-2
Chicago Sox	5	4	.556	1.5	2-2	3-2
Cleveland	4	4	.500	2	1-4	3-0
Minnesota	3	7	.300	4	2-4	1-3
Kansas City	3	7	.300	4	0-4	3-3

WEST	W	L	PCT	GB	HOME	ROAD
Texas	8	2	.800	-	5-2	3-0
Seattle	6	5	.545	2.5	2-1	4-4
LA Angels	4	6	.400	4	2-2	2-4
Oakland	4	7	.364	4.5	3-4	1-3

EAST	W	L	PCT	GB	HOME	ROAD
Washington	8	3	.727	-	4-1	4-2
NY Mets	7	3	.700	.5	4-2	3-1
Atlanta	5	5	.500	2.5	3-1	2-4
Philadelphia	5	5	.500	2.5	3-3	2-2
Miami	4	6	.400	3.5	2-2	2-4

CENTRAL	W	L	PCT	GB	HOME	ROAD
St. Louis	7	3	.700	-	2-1	5-2
Houston	4	6	.400	3	3-3	1-3
Milwaukee	4	6	.400	3	1-2	3-4
Cincinnati	4	6	.400	3	3-3	1-3
Pittsburgh	3	7	.300	4	2-1	1-6
Chicago Cubs	3	7	.300	4	2-5	1-2

WEST	W	L	PCT	GB	HOME	ROAD
LA Dodgers	9	1	.900	-	6-0	3-1
Arizona	7	3	.700	2	4-0	3-3
San Francisco	4	6	.400	5	2-2	2-4
Colorado	4	6	.400	5	3-4	1-2
San Diego	3	8	.273	6.5	2-5	1-3

# LeBron James scores Miami's final 17 points to carry Heat

NEWARK, N.J. -- LeBron James left the Nets stunned and their coach speechless.

The only people who knew how to describe what they were seeing were the New Jersey fans.

"MVP! MVP!"

James scored Miami's final 17 points in a furious one-man rally, finishing with 37 as the Heat pulled out a 101-98 victory over the Nets on Monday night.

In a game the Heat never led until the final 51 seconds, James willed them to their 10th straight victory over the Nets. With Dwyane Wade resting, James scored those 17 points over the last 4:48 of a game that immediately goes into his personal collection of memorable finishes.

"We were able to grind

away and not let it go mentally, and that guy, No. 6, he was pretty good going down the stretch," Heat coach Erik Spoelstra said. "He was sensational. Obviously, he made every big play offensively. I believe it was 17 straight to close the game. That's what an MVP does and we needed it at both ends. But also on a night like this, you can come up with a lot of excuses to not bring that type of performance, but that's not the type of DNA he has inside of him. The Nets played well but we found a way at the end."

Actually, James did.

He wasn't sure he was going back in as the fourth quarter reached its midway point. But once he did, he pushed past the Nets with an array of layups, jump-



ers and free throws, pulling Miami within 2½ games of Chicago for the Eastern Conference lead.

"We want to win every last game to close it out," James said. "We don't want to lose again the rest of the

season. Ultimately we can to continue to get better."

Chris Bosh had 22 points and 15 rebounds for the Heat, carrying them early in the fourth until James checked back in midway through the period and turned what appeared a certain loss into a stunning victory.

Kris Humphries scored 29 points and MarShon Brooks had 24 for the Nets, who played without Deron Williams and lacked the finisher they needed against one of the NBA's best.

Miami won for the sixth straight time in New Jersey, a road game in name only. James never thought he would hear cheers on the road again after joining the Heat, but he earned all of them no matter where the game was.

"I enjoyed it," said Wade, resting his ankle while the Heat improved to 12-1 without him this season. "I am a fan of the game, so I enjoyed it. He doesn't get any credit for his scoring ability. I enjoy watching him take over a game like that. It's fun. Obviously being his teammate, it's even funner."

The Nets led by 13 points in the third quarter and were still up seven with under 2 1/2 minutes left, but by then James was almost midway through his finishing kick.

He finally gave the Heat a lead with a driving basket that made it 97-96 with 51 seconds left, then followed with a short jumper for a 99-96 edge with the crowd chanting "Let's go Heat!" Two free throws with 10.6 seconds followed for a five-point lead before a meaningless basket by Brooks with 0.4 seconds to play.

"Good as I thought, good as a video game. He's a good player, you know," the Nets' Gerald Green said. "I thought we had a great chance to beat them anyway even though he played great tonight, but that's just the nature of this game when you face guys like that every night."

The Heat, also resting Shane Battier and Ronny Turiaf, won their third straight after consecutive losses and completed a back-to-back sweep in the New York area following Sunday's 93-85 victory over the Knicks.



# Amare Stoudemire back this week?

Amid widespread speculation about Amare Stoudemire's return from a back injury, a source close to the New York Knicks veteran power forward said Stoudemire may return later this week.

Stoudemire will not play on Tuesday against Boston and is unlikely to play on Wednesday in New Jersey. But there is a possibility that he returns to the team later this weekend, either Friday night against Cleveland or Sunday against Atlanta, according to the source.

"It's a possibility," the source said.

The team would like to see Stoudemire improve his conditioning

and test his injury in a game setting before he suits up. Stoudemire was able to do that in practice on Saturday, scrimmaging 4-on-4 with his teammates.

He may have another opportunity to scrimmage on Thursday before the Knicks travel to Cleveland.

Stoudemire had previously been working out and shooting before games with assistant coach Kenny Atkinson. Thursday's workout was his first with teammates since he last played on March 24. He left that night's game against Detroit with back pain, which was later diagnosed as a bulging disk in his lower back.

Stoudemire had an epidural

shot to relieve the pain on March 29. The team originally said he'd be out two to four weeks. Thursday was two weeks from the day of the shot.

The Knicks have gone 7-4 in Stoudemire's absence. Jeremy Lin has been out over the same stretch of games due to a meniscus tear in his knee. In their absence, the Knicks have relied heavily on Car-

melo Anthony.

And Anthony has responded, scoring 33 points on 52 percent shooting in the past 11 games -- a significant increase from his season averages of 21 points per game on 41 percent shooting.

The Knicks are playing well without Stoudemire, but they have lacked a consistent second scorer -- a role Stoudemire could conceivably fill.



NBA Standing							
EASTERN	W	L	PCT	GB	HOME		ROAD
					24-7	22-8	
1 y - Chicago	46	15	.754	-	24-7	22-8	
2 y - Miami	43	17	.717	2 1/2	25-4	18-13	
3 x - Indiana	39	22	.639	7	21-8	18-14	
4 x - Boston	36	25	.590	10	21-9	15-16	
5 x - Atlanta	36	25	.590	10	19-9	17-16	
6 x - Orlando	36	25	.590	10	20-12	16-13	
7 New York	31	29	.517	14 1/2	20-11	11-18	
8 Philadelphia	31	29	.517	14 1/2	19-13	12-16	
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Milwaukee	29	31	.483	16 1/2	15-15	14-16	
Detroit	22	38	.367	23 1/2	15-14	7-24	
New Jersey	22	40	.355	24 1/2	9-22	13-18	
Toronto	22	40	.355	24 1/2	12-20	10-20	
Cleveland	20	39	.339	25	10-20	10-19	
Washington	15	46	.246	31	8-22	7-24	
Charlotte	7	53	.117	38 1/2	4-25	3-28	
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WESTERN	W	L	PCT	GB	HOME		ROAD
					25-5	18-11	
1 y - San Antonio	43	16	.729	-	25-5	18-11	
2 y - Oklahoma City	44	17	.721	-	25-6	19-11	
3 x - LA Lakers	39	22	.639	5	25-6	14-16	
4 x - LA Clippers	38	23	.623	6	23-9	15-14	
5 Memphis	35	25	.583	8 1/2	22-7	13-18	
6 Denver	34	27	.557	10	19-12	15-15	
7 Dallas	34	28	.548	10 1/2	21-10	13-18	
8 Phoenix	32	29	.525	12	18-11	14-18	
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Houston	32	29	.525	12	20-11	12-18	
Utah	32	30	.516	12 1/2	22-8	10-22	
Portland	28	34	.452	16 1/2	20-12	8-22	
Minnesota	25	37	.403	19 1/2	13-17	12-20	
Golden State	22	38	.367	21 1/2	12-18	10-20	
Sacramento	20	41	.328	24	15-15	5-26	
New Orleans	19	42	.311	25	10-22	9-20	